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Marketing and fixation of Price of Fruits and Vegetables in Azadpur Market, Delhi

1938. SHRI JITENDRA PRASAD: Will the Minister of RURAL RECONSTRUCTION be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the marketing of fruits and vegetables in the Azad-pur market, Delhi is regulated under some law;
 - (b) if so, the name thereof;
- (c) whether a marketing Committee consisting of Commission agents and fruit traders fixes the wholesale maximum and minimum rates of the marketable produce without any regard to the interests of producers;
- (d) whether producers who are mostly farmers and apple growers are associated with such a marketing body; and
- (e) if not, the reasons therefor and the steps contemplated to involve 2633 LS-8

them with the Committee responsible for marketing and fixation of whole-sale rates daily?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND BURAL RECONSTRUCTION (SHRI BALESHWAR RAM): (a) Yes, Sir.

- (b) The Delhi Agricultural Produce Marketing (Regulation) Act, 1976.
- (c) Fixation of the prices of the produce is not one of the functions of the Market Committee. The produce brought to the market is sold through open auctions. This apart, at present the Azadpur Market is being administered by an officer appointed under the provisions of the Act, since the supersession of the Committee in July, 1978.
- (d) The Act provides for representation of six agriculturists on a 14 Member Market Committee.
 - (e) Does not arise.

Target for Foodgrains and other Cash Crops during 1983-81

1939. SHRI CHINTAMANI PANIGRAHI:

SHRI JANARDHANA POOJARY:

Will the Minister of AGRICUL-TURE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that the target set for foodgrains and other cash crops during 1980-81 may not materialise; and
- (b) if so, the target fixed in respect of foodgrains, rice, jute, sugarcane during 1980-81, the likely shortfall and the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND RURAL RECONSTRUCTION (SHRI R. V. SWAMINATHAN): (a) and (b). The targets fixed for the year 1980-81 or different crops are as follows: Rice—55 million tonnes; Foodgrain's (including rice)—135 mil-